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Brindishe Federation Newsletter

Friday 23rd June 2023

WINDRUSH 75th Anniversary

Yesterday marked the 75th anniversary of the HMT Empire Windrush arriving at Tilbury Docks in Essex, from Jamaica on 22 June 1948. Windrush Day celebrates the contribution and achievements of the Windrush generation and their descendants and is a major opportunity to come together and celebrate this shared history. This is an important moment in British history. [Windrush75](#) has information about a host of events for people to 'come together to celebrate four generations of contribution, legacy, struggle and positive change'. There are listings for [local Windrush Day events](#) on the Council website.



Brindishe Weekly Online Safety Bulletin

Tackling Online Hate

One way in which we can tackle online hate is ensuring our children learn about what it is and how they can stop it. Internet Matters have created a quiz that you can complete with your child.

As you progress through the questions, you will be given advice as well as questions to discuss and help you have a conversation with your child.

The quiz is available here:

<https://www.internetmatters.org/resources/theonlinetogetherproject/tackling-online-hate-quiz/>





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Rights Respecting at Brindishe Schools – Article of the week

Article 45

UNICEF can provide expert advice and assistance on children's rights.

In what different ways does UNICEF help children around the world?

UNICEF...

- helps governments make sure that all children have an education
- supports communities to have access to clean water and nutritious food
- helps to support good health care systems in lower income countries
- distributes vaccines to protect children from a wide range of diseases and infections
- works to make child protection stronger where countries or organisations need help with this
- helps governments all around the world to look at how children's rights are being met and helps them improve the situation for children
- provides help for children when there is an emergency situation such as an earthquake, hurricane or tsunami
- provides help for children if there is a war to make sure children are looked after
- supports refugee families in a variety of ways
- works within the United Nations and with governments and civil society to make sure children's lives and views are visible and taken into account
- in the UK promotes children's rights through the Baby Friendly Initiative, Rights Respecting Schools Award and Child Friendly Cities and Communities programme
- in the UK and other high income countries it raises funds to support UNICEF's work around the world
- speaks to politician and decision makers to protect and promote children's rights

Watch [this video](#) to find out about UNICEF's work on education. Could you discuss at home with your child what the stories have in common?





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June is PRIDE MONTH

June is Pride Month. Find out what's happening in Lewisham to mark it.

Lewisham is incredibly proud to be the home of diverse LGBTQIA+ communities.

Lewisham at London Pride 2023

Lewisham Council will be marching in the London Parade on 1 July. All are invited to come and support us as we take to the streets of Central London. For further information, visit the [London Pride Website](#)



Key Federation Dates

- Brindishe Schools INSET DAY – Monday 3rd July
- NEU Strike Days – Wednesday 5th July and Friday 7th July
- End of Term – Friday 21st July 2023

Governing Body Dates

If you would like to attend a Brindishe Federation Governing Body meeting as an observer, please email our Chair, Liz Murphy - lmurphy@brindisheschools.org

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Brindishe Manor

Thursday 13th July 2023, 6pm